
MICHIGAN FAMILY FORUM
Sound Public Policy for Stranger Michigan Families

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Rep. Howard Walker
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Dear Representative Walker:

On behalf of Michigan Family Forum, I want to thank you for introducing HR 30 to encourage greater regulation of adult websites. As you may know, our organization worked for several years to restrict the display of obscenity in a manner that would shield minors from viewing it. In 2004, Governor Granholm signed that legislation which was introduced by Rep. Triette Reeves. We believe legislation like that which you propose would be similarly beneficial.

We encourage you to pursue similar legislation for adult websites that are based in Michigan. Although the impact may be minimal here, we believe that your efforts would be duplicated in other states. Cumulatively, the efforts could accomplish as much as congressional action. Your efforts could also kick-start Congress into action.

We are forwarding this letter of support as well as a copy of your resolution as printed in the House Journal to the Michigan congressional delegation.

Again, thank you for your efforts to protect children and unsuspecting adults from this material.

Sincerely,



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